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DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name,

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled BICYCLE WHEEL RIM HAVING CORNER REINFORCING MEMBERS AT JUNCTIONS OF A SPOKE MOUNTING WALL WITH TIRE RETAINING WALLS OF A RIM BODY the specification of which is attached hereto unless the following box is checked: as United States Application Number _____ was filed on or PCT International Application Number_____ and was amended on_ (if applicable) I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above. I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR ≥1.56, including for continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application. I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. $\ni 119(a)$ -(d) or $\ni 365(b)$, of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or >365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or any PCT international application, having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed: **Priority Claimed** Prior Foreign Application(s) 16/Oct./2002 |x | 091216484 Taiwan (Day/Month/Year Filed) Yes (Number) (Country) Yes No (Country) (Day/Month/Year Filed) (Number) (Day/Month/Year Filed) (Number) (Country) I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. ∋119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below. (Filing Date) (Application Number) (Filing Date) (Application Number) (Filing Date) (Application Number)

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Each person, concern or or obligation under contract or	ganization to which I have assign law to assign, grant, convey, or licen	ned, granted, conveyed, or licensed or am under an use any rights in the invention is listed below:
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	VERIFIED STATEMENT (DECLARATION)	
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	(X) the owner of the small business concern identified below	
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	NAME OF CONCERN ALEX GLOBAL TECHNOLOGY,	INC.
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	Hsien, Taiwan	
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	I hereby declare that the above identified small business concer	rn qualifies as a small business concern as defined in 13
	CFR 121.3-18, and reproduced in 37 CFR 1.9 (d), for purpose	es of paying reduced fees under section 41 (a) and (b)
	of Title 35, United States code, in that the number of employe not exceed 500 persons. For purposes of this statement, (1)	the number of amployees of the business concern is the
	average over the previous fiscal year of the concern of the pe	proper amployed on a full-time part-time or temporary
	basis during each of the pay periods of the fiscal year, and (2) of	concerns are affiliates of each other when either directly
	or indirectly, one concern controls or has the power to control	the other, or a third party or parties controls or has the
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	power to control both.	
	I hereby declare that rights under contract or law have been co	onveyed to and remain with the small business concern
	identified above with regard to the invention, entitled BICYCLI	E WHEEL RIM HAVING CORNER REINFORCING MEMBERS
AT JUNCTIONS	OF A SPOKE MOUNTING WALL WITH TIRE RETAIN	ING WALLS OF A RIM BODY By inventor(s)
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	() patent no, issued_	
	If the rights held by the above identified small business co	oncern are not exclusive, each individual, concern or
	organization having rights to the invention is listed below* and	I no rights to the invention are held by any person, other
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